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In re Application of:	)
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	) Examiner: Edwin Swinehart
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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § RECEIVED

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: MAY 2 7 2003

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The above-identified applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time within which to file a response to the Office Action dated November 19, 2002, to expire May 19, 2003. A check in the amount of \$465.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the fee for a three-month extension.

Please charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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